



PATENT  
Atty. Docket No. 61030-0013 US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: :  
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Jason Munning & :  
Juliet V. Spencer :  
: Examiner: John D. Ulm  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116**

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed September 26, 2003, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks intended to place the application in condition for allowance. Submitted concurrently herewith is a Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the office action for two (2) months, up to and including February 26, 2004. Reconsideration of this application as amended is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 15 of this paper.